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December 12, 1959

The Honorable Allan Dulles
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

In this Atomic SPACE AGE of Staggering, Missile Race Costs and High interest rates our Money and Tax Systems, Cannot possibly provide for us, a Realistic MILITARY and ECONOMIC DEFENSE, for Maturing Bonds and for the many urgent yet long delayed Public Programs. We are, therefore, Forfeiting World's Scientific Leadership, while safeguarding our way of life and raising dangerously our National Debt, while burdening seriously those who are least able to bear with no solutions in sight. I, therefore urge the adoption of a "Tax Free Expanding Money System" by the following proposals.

- 1) To Eliminate Tax Evasion and TAXES as destructive and insufficient Government REVENUE and to Reinstate the O.P.A. Agency to temporarily regulate Wages and Prices by Subsidies if necessary; To DENY the Giant Industries and Unions, the BENEFIT from CRIPPLING STRIKES, at the expense of the Enemployed, Unorganized Labor, THE AGED and those with Fixed Income, thereby to STABILIZE our Economy and our DOLLAR VALUE.
- 2) To issue "New Currency" (interchangeable with the Old, when and as needed, and Legal only in the U.S.A., to prevent Foreign Exchange Fluctuations); Based on Our Real Assets and on all our Space Age Outmost Needs, Sufficient to Regain Scientific Leadership, and to GUARANTEE Full Employment, With A STEADY LIVING Standard for all Our People. The Future Thus Secured, None Shall Make Us Afraid.
- 3) To adequately provide New Currency for existing and added Subsidies, needed to strengthen our Precious "Industrial Superiority of Private Enterprises" which ALONE will Deter the Soviet threat to dominate the World's Markets, and which ALONE will Assure for all free people everywhere, the most cherished Democratic Freedoms with Economic Security, and Permanent Prosperity with Lasting Peace.
- 4) To provide for the urgent AID to the Poor Countries. It is most important for Our Government to Propose, and Succeed, to authorize the United Nations to issue 25 Billion "World Currency", to be acceptable as "Legal Tender" amongst its members.

I most fervently Pray that THIS LETTER, shall Hasten the Opportunity, to Personally Persuade you that we are Suffering from, "TOO LONG on Taxes and TOO SHORT on Money", and that the Federal Reserve Bank "On and Off Again", Tight and Loose Money Policies are ineffective, Also to Personally Persuade you, that ONLY by the Implementation of these Simple Proposals, Shall We Definitely Prevent inflation, Stabilize our Economy and Truly Guarantee the REALIZATION of, the "Pursuit of Happiness" For all Our People Together with TRUE DEMOCRATIC Freedoms and God's Blessings of PEACE For All Mankind.

Anxiously awaiting your reply, I remain

Very truly yours,


Jacob Kaplan

I have set before thee Life and Death, the Blessing and the Curse. Deut. 30:19

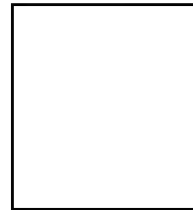
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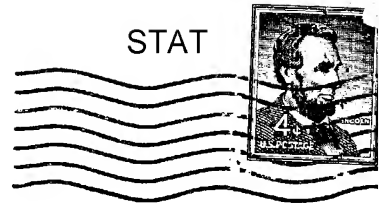
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